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RESPONSE/AMENDMENT/LETTER

This is a response/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes an attachment which is hereby incorporated by reference and the signature below serves as the signature to the attachment in the absence of any other signature thereon.

#### Fees are attached as calculated below: Total effective claims after amendment minus highest number previously paid for 20 (at least 20) =0 \$ 18.00 \$ 0.00 Independent claims after amendment minus highest number previously paid for (at least 3) =\$ 80.00 \$ 0.00 3 If proper multiple dependent claims now added for first time, add \$270.00 (ignore improper) 0.00 Petition is hereby made to extend the current due date so as to cover the filing date of this paper and attachment(s) (\$110.00/1 month; \$390.00/2 months; \$890.00/3 months) \$ 0.00 Terminal disclaimer enclosed, add \$ 110.00 \$ 110.00 First/second submission after Final Rejection pursuant to 37 CFR 1.129(a) (\$710.00) \$ 0.00 Please enter the previously unentered , filed Submission attached Request for Continued Examination pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 (\$710.00) \$ 0.00 Please enter the previously unentered . filed or Required submission attached Subtotal \$ 110.00 If "small entity," then enter half (1/2) of subtotal and subtract 0.00 ☐ This application is entitled to "Small entity" status. "Small entity" statement attached. Rule 56 Information Disclosure Statement Filing Fee (\$180.00) \$ 0.00 Assignment Recording Fee (\$40.00) \$ 0.00 C\ther: 0.00 TOTAL FEE ENCLOSED \$ 110.00 The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fee(s) filed, or asserted to be filed, or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Account No. 14-1140. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached. 1100 North Glebe Road, 8th Floor NIXON & VANDERHYENP.C. Arlington, Virginia 22201-4714 By Atty: Arthur R. Cra Telephone: (703) 816-4000 Facsimile: (703) 816-4100 ARC:pfc Signature:

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## **AMENDMENT**

Responsive to the Official Action dated August 8, 2000, (for which petition is hereby made for a one month extension of time), please amend the above-identified application as follows:

## IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 2, line 29; Page 3, line 3; Page 3, line 20; page 4, line 10; page 4, line 12; page 4, line 18; page 4, line 21; page 4, line 23; page 4, line 26; page 5, line 23; page 5, line 23; page 6, line 19; page 6, line 22; page 6, line 25; page 6, line 28; page 7, line 24; page 7, line 26; page 8, line 1; page 9, line 12; page 9, line 14; page 9, line 17; page 11, line 10; page 21, line 12; page 24, line 15; page 24, line 17; page 26, line 20; page 26, line 22; page 26, line 27, delete "middle-chain" insert --medium-chain--.

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